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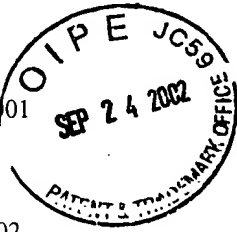
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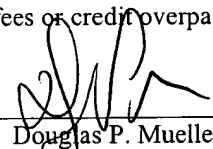
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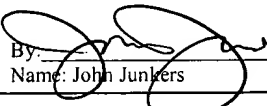
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 3, 2002, please amend the above referenced patent application as indicated herein.

In the Claims

Please amend the claims as follows. The claims are amended in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.121. No new matter has been added.

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1. (Amended) A contactless data carrier, comprising:
an electronic circuit module including an antenna coil and an integrated circuit electrically connected to each other; and
a hollow resin case provided with a first slit,
wherein the electronic circuit module is contained in the hollow resin case, and
the first slit spatially connects an inside and an outside of the hollow resin case.